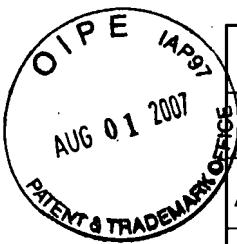


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# AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Docket No.  
HOK-0258

Application No.  
10/525,205-Conf. #7664

Filing Date  
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J. P. Riggleman

Art Unit  
1746

Applicant(s): Atsuhiko SAITO et al.

Invention: CLEANING SYSTEM OF A HAIR REMOVING APPARATUS

## TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

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**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111**

**Mail Stop Amendment**

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**I. INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

In response to the Office Action dated May 7, 2007, please amend the above-identified application as set forth below.

Claims 1-8 are pending in the application. By this Amendment, claims 1 and 8 are amended.

Applicants express their appreciation for the Examiner's indication of allowable subject matter in claim 8 which is now amended in independent form to be deemed allowed by the Examiner.

**II. AMENDMENTS TO THE DRAWINGS**

(There are no amendments to the drawings)